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## Personal.

INFORMATION is wanted as to the whereabouts of Mr. PATRICK KING, who when last heard from was in the employ of the C. P. R. at Port Moody in the capacity of Bridge Carpenter. Some 18 or 19 months ago a rumor reached his friends in New York State that he, with a number of other workmen, were quarantined for small pox at Port Moody. He was formerly a resident of Brockport, Monroe County, New York. Since that time, 18 or 20 months since, his friends have received no tidings from him. Any person knowing anything of his whereabouts will relieve a widowed mother's anxiety for an absent son by communicating such information to the TIMES office, Victoria, or to R. McDONALD, Tonawanda, New York State, U. S. july3

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son 1-ly W. H. MASON, Secretary.

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August 23. aug23 1m

## Notice.

DURING my absence in California Frank Campbell holds my power of attorney.

P. MURPHY,

Adelphi Saloon.

October 3rd, 1885. oct5

## YESTERDAY'S VOTE.

As will be noticed elsewhere, two of the three by-laws submitted to the ratepayers yesterday received their endorsation. The water works by-law carried a majority with it in every ward in the city; the total vote being 367 for and 211 against. The streets and bridges improvement by-law was equally popular, for it also received the endorsement of a majority in all the divisions of the city by a vote of 281 in its favor to 246 in opposition. The pleasure grounds by-law was received with even greater favor than many expected. The majority vote in every ward, however, was hostile, and the scheme allowed to slumber for the present by an adverse vote of 290 to 210. The by-laws will receive their final readings at the meeting of the Council this evening, and will be passed by that body in regular form. The corporation will then, no doubt, ask for tenders for the purchase of its debentures to the extent of $125,000, wherewith the proposed improvements are to be carried out. The present is possibly the most favorable time, in a period of many years, wherein to float debentures; and as Victoria's position, financially, is such as to challenge comparison with other Canadian cities, whose indebtedness is large; yet their debentures realized heavy premiums. If issued bearing interest half-yearly as is proposed, it is safe to say that the premium will be a considerable one. Money is abundant in the east, and our debentures being the class of securities desired by monetary institutions, and assurance associations, they will be eagerly sought after and bought at such figures as will create general surprise. It is then to be hoped that an opportunity will be given our own people, as well as those in the east to tender for the proposed issue.

The work of improving the streets and bridges will doubtless be proceeded with in due course. It is to be hoped that due economy will be exercised, and that the people's money, so generously voted to their representatives at the Council board, wherewith to carry out improvements so urgently desired, will be put to good use and made the most of. The sum is a considerable one and much good should result to the city from the expenditure of so vast an amount.

So far as the water works system is concerned, nothing much can be accomplished until the arrival of Mr. PICKERING, who, it is believed is to have charge of the projected improvements.

The ratepayers are to be congratulated on the result of the vote. The increase in the rate of taxation will be imperceptible, while the benefit conferred on the city at present, and for many years hence will be of great moment. It is a sound principle in political as well as municipal economy, that posterity should perform its part with the present generation in improving and paying for the material advancement of the city's interests. No doubt those who hold opposite views are equally as conscientious as those who voted in favor of the by-laws. In such belief, however, they assume an attitude not in unision with the progressive spirit of the period in which we now live. Victoria must not stand still; to do so is to retrogress—go back. Her mottoe now must be—upward and onward. She need fear no rivals. A stern chase is a long one, and if true to ourselves there can be no question as to a great future being in store for Canada's Queen City on the Pacific. "Let Victoria flourish" must be the watch word of every true citizen desiring to see this fair city occupying the position nature intended for her.

The Montreal *Herald* thinks that Sir CHARLES TUPPER has been sent for by Sir JOHN MACDONALD, to consult him about the dangers which threaten the government on all sides. Sir Charles is a sort of physician extraordinary to the ministry, and somebody has prescribed a cabinet shuffle as a temporary remedy for the political ills which afflict the Conservative party. The *Herald's* opinion it that Sir JOHN has become greatly alarmed over the politicalsituation and has sent for Sir Charles with the view of making him finance ministerand that Sir John will then prepare for his final retirement from politics.


Among the many superior qualities of Messrs. Curtis's & Harvey's celebarted *DIAMOND GRAIN* powder might be mentioned its GREAT PROPELLING POWER, SAFETY IN USE, CLEANLINESS, REGULARITY OF EFFECT. These merits are appreciated not only by the sportsman in the field, but by victorious teams at international rifle matches at Wimbledon and Creedmoor, New York, who used Curtis's & Harvey's DIAMOND exclusively.


## A GLOOMY PICTURE.

*Granite Creek Fast Becoming Desolate and Deserted.*

*A Highly Colored Sketch of a Realistic Scene.*

This camp has "gone in." No one now has any hopes of a revival of business. A few claims on G. C. are paying, outside of that the whole thing is a failure. The ambition of every man now is simply to secure a good pair of walking boots and grub enough to last to the coast. The following letter I received from a young man who went out a while ago:

DEAR JERRY:—A description of my trip from the mines to the coast may include a few pointers that will not come amiss to you:

"Three days of hard tramping brought us from G. C. to Hope, also to our last slapjack. First train going west we boarded, and were soon snugly ensconced in a box car, where we rode till long into the night, when a brakeman got on to us as the train stopped with a hat box, at a place where there was no station for fifteen miles either way. Brakeman promptly informed the conductor, who came around and interviewed us.

"Now then," said he, "come out and stretch your legs, it must be rather close in there."

We tried to reason with him, but to no purpose; so we alighted. It was a nasty place. The river on one side was roaring some hundreds of feet below, and on the other hand rose a perpendicular bluff. We were in a cut, midway between two high trestles that stretched out interminably into the darkness. The rain poured in torrents, and the darkness hung around us till we could feel it. We concluded to sit down and rest.

"What's the difference, said my partner, we're in no hurry; let's sit down and rest."

"Well, daylight did come after a while, though I had given up looking for it any more that week, and we started down the track. To tell you all the vicissitudes of our journey would take too much space. But I'll tell you right now that the inhabitants down here are strict business people. I went into one hotel and gave the landlord a song and dance, about being in the mines all winter and losing a thousand dollars. I thought he was somewhat moved by my yarn, and at his request I foolishly followed him into the back yard, where he handed me a substantial buckaw, saying as he pointed to the wood-pile.

"Half a cord's pretty lucky, young feller."

"When you come down don't tell them you are from G. C., though they will probably drop on to you at sight. The procession from that place has been so unremitting that these people are very weary. I'll wind up my letter by telling you how my journey wound up, and how I got wound up for thirty days. We stowed away on the boat at Vancouver, and were collared and handed over to the authorities at the wharf at Victoria, and taken to the station house where His Honor kindly gave us our choice—thirty days or thirty dollars, adding with a winning smile: "It's quite immaterial which." We concluded to tarry a while. The climate here is beautiful. I judge by the limited chunk I can see of it. That's about all I can write at present of the capital city. If I remember the geographical situation aright, this town is a difficult one to walk out of, so our future is very uncertain. Write. Shall not change address in some time. From, ——"

It is hard to say who is to blame for this wholesale bilk of a mining scheme. The discovery came at a time when the whole country was ripe for any new field for labor or capital that might open up. Thousands were just then discharged from the C. P. R., and with the exception of this camp, everything was at a standstill in the country. Scores of young men who had saved a few hundred dollars rushed in here and invested in anything and everything. To-day they are walking out, having learned a severe and costly lesson. It is really a pity about some people who came in and invested all their hard earned dollars and have got nothing in return. Others who had nothing to spend but their time, can take the matter more philosophically. The last month has witnessed a steady exodus, and the town presents a most desolate appearance. Real estate is cheap. A commodious hotel, well equipped with bar and fixtures and hash-foundry in the rear, sold for $850. Just above are three saloons that do not take down their shutters any more. Speaking of hard times Otter Flat is a settlement about six miles up the river, and what insane notion inspired these unfortunate people to go there and build stores, hotels and dwellings, is more than I can imagine. But this hollow mockery of a town lies there in the heart of the mountains, broiling in the August sunshine and the only excitement that they have is the arrival and departure of the weekly mail. It is reported that a man going out with a big sack of dust ($75) became alarmed at the sound of his own gun as he shot at a grouse, and rushed wildly back for a body-guard, who escorted him safely out. JERRY.

Granite City, Aug. 20, 1886.

A. G. Morris & Co., cigar importers, Montreal, have assigned. Liabilities $30,000.

The writ for the Dominion election in Haldimand county is issued. Nomination takes place on the first of September and polling on the 8th.

Mark Twain is said to be the richest humorist that ever lived. He has acquired his wealth by making everybody pay for his jokes in advance. No pay, no joke, is his watchword.

Among the arrivals of cattle at the Canadian Pacific stock yards, Montreal, last week, were a car numbering 18 head from Portage la Prairie, chiefly Durhams. They came through in excellent condition.

It is rumored that T. G. Shaughnessy, assistant general manager of the C. P. R., may have his headquarters removed to Winnipeg, in which case he would also assume the duties of general superintendent of the western division.

The first year of the New York base ball club a profit of $30,000 was divided. Last year $80,000 was cut up into three slices among the backers who bought out the others. This year, heaven only knows what the earnings of the club will be, with it in hot company for the pennant, and the deciding games to be played at home. It is nothing for $10,000 to go into the turnstiles at a single game on the polo ground.

## PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

*The New Parliamentary Block to be Erected in Queen's Park, Toronto, for the Ontario Government.*

The plans and specifications for the new parliamentary buildings for Ontario are now submitted to the public for the purpose of tendering thereon. The site selected is one hundred feet north of the flag staff and facing Queen street avenue. The style of architecture of the new structure is Nero Greek, and the material will be Credit Valley red sandstone. It will consist of basement under the entire building, and ground, first and second floors above. The west wing will be entirely devoted to legislative and literary purposes. The library will occupy the first pavilion of this wing and the speaker's apartments the north portion, with the members' reception, dining, reading, and smoking rooms in the center. The committee rooms are located in the basement. The east wing, being the nearest to Yonge street, will be occupied by the various departments. The offices of each department are arranged en suite, and chiefs and all the other rooms connecting. The total frontage of the building is 406 feet, and each wing has a depth of 244 feet. The main building will be approached by terraced steps 65 feet in length to a stone porch, supported upon connected columns with richly moulded bases and carved capitals. Ascending a grand vestibule 29 feet in width the vestibule hall is reached. The grand stair case to be constructed of stone, the main flight being 22 feet in width, and having two side flights, will ascend to the legislative chamber on the first floor. The chamber will occupy the centre of the building, and its dimensions are 65x80 feet.

From the grand staircase hall alcoves will lead on to the left to the post office and distributing room, and on the right to the passenger elevators. Corridors 34x48 feet will connect with these alcoves with entrances to apartments on either side and connections with side corridors and approaches to the building. Four passenger elevators, two in the centre and one in each wing, will facilitate passage from one floor to the other. Fire proof vaults will be provided in each department, and ample lavatory accommodation is provided.

Precautions are taken against the total destruction of the building by fire by carrying a series of sub-dividing walls above the roof lines and fire proof doors will shut off any one of these subdivisions in which fire may break out. The building will be heated by steam supplied from the boiler house, which forms an extension to the north with connecting tunnels to east and west wings. Great care has been taken for the proper lighting and ventilation of the building. Two extracting shafts will ventilate the legislative chamber and main corridors, and each apartment will ventilate the legislative chamber and main corridors, and each apartment will have its separate ventilator. The plans and specifications are the work of R. A. Waite, of Buffalo.

## PARNELL'S SPEECH

*In the Commons on the Amendment to the Address on the Queen's Speech.*

Mr. Parnell on rising to address the Commons on Tuesday night was loudly cheered. He said he believed that if the country had been given three more weeks to consider the Home Rule bill the Tories would not have been seen installed in the treasury benches. A majority of the Liberal party had declared in favor of Irish autonomy. The Tories had only profited by temporary Liberal hesitation. After the present government had exhibited themselves for a year or so they would be a spectacle for God and man to witness in their attempt to govern Ireland. Ireland had every reason to have patience for her's was a winning course. The government speeches were intended to exasperate and threaten, and would fail to have that effect. A royal commission would be unable to report until the pinch of winter was over. Parnell said he had agreed to the adoption of the land purchase act of 1885 because he then believed that the settlement of the national question would come concurrently, sent to Ireland Lord Carnarvon, who was an avowed home ruler. Now the conditions were entirely changed. Gladstone's purchase scheme would have safely settled the land question; every penny, principle and interest, could have been collected through the customs and excise duties and the money would have been as safe as in the Bank of England. The government must reduce rents either at the expense of the landlord or at the expense of the British taxpayer. He said the Irish people bitterly refused to sell their national birthright for the mess of pottage which the government offered. The way to develop the resources of Ireland was to allow the Irish to develop them themselves. They did not want an influx of capital, for there was plenty of that in Ireland; they wanted to be allowed to help themselves. The Irish party repudiated the proposed fraud on the British taxpayer by a government which obtained office by misrepresentation. Parnell here read his amendment to the address, and proceeding, he said that the judicial rents were too high. He accused the government of encouraging landlords to evict by wholesale, knowing the agrarian crime always follows eviction. The Irish would be patient but the inducement held out by landlords who tried to exact impossible rents would bear fruit and might produce exasperation. The landlords would clamor for coercion and force the government to adopt coercive measures.

If he might offer a suggestion he would urge that judiciary tenancies should be fixed at three years instead of fifteen years, that there should be a revision of rents in accordance with the prevailing prices. In conclusion he said the Irish would never submit to a government not their own. The question of an autonomous government would always be fixed in the hearts of the Irish people.

### RAILWAY NOTES.

Mr. R. Marpole, Superintendent of the Kamloops-Donald division of the C. P. R. is an experienced railroader. He has been in the employ of the company for five years, as contractor, as assistant manager of construction and as superintendent of the Lake Superior Division, 500 miles in extent. He is a well and favorably known gentleman in railway circles. He assumed control of the Kamloops-Donald division of the Canadian Pacific line last April, coming west along with Mr. Abbott, the general-superintendent last April. Mr. Marpole's division is one of the most difficult to watch on the entire route. His staff are: T. Dwnie, chief dispatcher; F. McKechnie and P. Costello, assistants. Mr. F. P. Brothers, is train master. Their headquarters are at Donald.

## NEWS BY CABLE.

### TREASON AND TREACHERY.

*Bulgaria Intensely Excited—The Revolutionists Overthrown—Alexander to be Reinstated.*

SOFIA, Aug. 25.—The provisial government created by the Revolutionists has been overthrown. Clement, Grouseff and Yankoff, three of its members, have been arrested and thrown into prison and the old ministry reinstated. The deception practiced on them by the circulation of the report that Alexander had voluntarily abdicated has exasperated troops and civilians alike, and a revolution of popular feeling in favor of the deposed ruler is as general as it is intense. A deputation has started to find the Prince and assure him of the loyalty of the Bulgarian people and army, and to make an endeavor to persuade him to return.

### IMPORTANT DESPATCHES.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—The government has received a number of important dispatches from the east and Salisbury has been requested by telegraph to return to London immediately.

### GLADSTONE OFF TO GERMANY.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—Mr. Gladstone started this morning for Germany, where he expects to spend three weeks vacation. He was accompanied by his daughter and Lord Acton. Miss Gladstone, John Morley and a number of personal friends went to the railway station to see him off. As the train moved away Gladstone was waived a farewell. He appeared to be in good spirits and presented a jaunty air, though his face was pale. He wore a grey suit and a brown felt hat.

### WHEAT IN AUSTRALIA.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—Advices from Adelaide, Australia, state that the wheat crop in South Australia, according to latest estimates, will average seven bushels to the acre. There have been copious rains throughout the wheat growing region and the rain continues.

### BEECHER ILL.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—Rev. Henry Ward Beecher is ill. He has cancelled his lecture engagement at New Brighton for next Friday and has gone to the Hydropathic Institute of Dumfrieshire, Scotland.

### UP GOES THE FLAG AGAIN.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—The British corvette Diamond, took possession in the name of the British crown of Kenvadie Islands, in the South Pacific Ocean on the 1st of August.

### TO BE CONVEYED BACK.

BUCHAREST, Aug. 25.—The commander of the yacht on which it has been stated Prince Alexander is kept a prisoner has telegraphed from Reni, in Bessarabia, to Sofia asking for instructions. He received orders to convey the Prince back to Sofia.

### INTERNATIONAL YACHT RACE.

SANDY HOOK, Aug. 25.—To-day's fixed upon for the third trial race between the Puritan, the Mayflower, Priscilla and the Atlantic. The match opened with a northeasterly breeze and a heavy cross sea breaking along the beach. A better breeze could not be hoped for and it is just what big sloops have been wanting. There are clouds that ever mean the wind moving rapidly through the air from northeast. White caps have made their appearance. The wind is making nineteen miles an hour. The prospect for a good race is excellent. Very few of the vessels bound in carry top sails.

### INVITING HIS DESTRUCTION.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 25.—Ex-Councilman George Chambers of this city, has decided to swim the whirlpool at Niagara. He says he will start next week, and if nobody interferes with him he will go through the whirlpool without a cork jacket, barrel or anything else, depending entirely on his powers as a swimmer to carry him through all right. His belief is that any man can accomplish the task if he keeps cool and does not lose his head.

### MUST HAVE A PARLIAMENT.

DUBLIN, Aug. 24.—Lord Mayor Sullivan presided to-day over the fortnightly meeting of the National League. In his address he declared Ireland was prepared to accept Gladstone's Home Rule bill as settlement of the controversy with England. Of course Irishmen would not, Sullivan said, refuse to receive whatever good things the Tories might offer short of Gladstone's proposed benediction, but the Tories might as well know now as later that the people of Ireland would never be content until they had a parliament of their own.

### AMATEUR MINSTRELS.

The Victoria Minstrel Co., composed of young men of the city from 16 to 20 years of age with a taste for minstrelsy, will give an entertainment in the Theatre Comique next Saturday evening. There will be the usual first part, songs, gags and funny acts. The price of admission is put down to the low figure of 25 cents. Give the boys a trial and see if they are funny.

### AINT HE A DAISY?

Lord Lonsdale is 29 years old. He is one of the greatest rakes in England a drunkard and a fighter. Yet he controls forty-two church livings, and the souls of several thousand Englishmen are thus supposed to be under his care. What is worse, he helps to make laws for his countrymen, and they have not the power to oust him from the House of Lords.

### STREET OBSTRUCTIONS.

After a few days lull, another citizen who had infringed the provisions of the streets and sidewalks by-law, was before the P. M. to-day. Mr. Duncan J. McDonald paid a small fine of $2.50 for obstructing the street, and pleaded ignorance of the law.

### FINANCIAL.

Canadian Pacific was quoted in London on the 17th at 68⅝ and Hudson Bay at £24. British Columbia 6 per cent., 1877, 124½; Bank of B. C., fully paid 28¼ xd.; Bank of B. N. A., 64.


The sporting season is fast approaching when Messrs. Curtis's & Harvey's world-renowned *SPORTING POWDER* will be in large demand. Dealers should secure their supplies in good time from Messrs. ROBERT WARD & Co., the wholesale agents for B. C.


## BULGARIAN REVOLUTION

*The Troops and Citizens Proclaim for Alexander.*

*A Local Disturbance that May Shake the World.*

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 25.—Both *Novosti* and *Kedomosti* newspapers agree that the state of anarchy existing in Bulgaria has rendered Russian intervention more necessary, in order to prevent its spread to the whole Balkan peninsula, *Viedomosti* says: We do not advocate the occupation of Bulgaria by Russia; that is not worth the fresh bloodshed it would entail. It is announced here Prince Alexander arrived at Reni yesterday, and that he immediately proceeded to Austria by way of Voletshika, and that he was in no wise a prisoner.

AT PHILLIPOPOLIS.

PHILLIPOPOLIS, Aug. 25.—The news of Alexander's deposition provoked great indignation here among citizens and soldiers. A mass meeting was at once held, in which both the soldiers and citizens participated. The meeting adopted resolutions proclaiming the loyalty of eastern Roumelia to Prince Alexander. During the entire night a procession marched through the streets shouting, "Long live Prince Alexander." Col. Montkouroff, commander of the Eastern Roumelian troops, has issued a proclamation summoning patriots to defend the honor of Prince Alexander, and Bulgarian soldiers every where throughout Roumelia are declaring for Alexander, but so far there has been no disorder.

COMMUNICATION STOPPED.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 25.—All communication between Turkey and Bulgaria has been stopped. Five batteries of artillery and a squadron of cavalry have been ordered to proceed from Phillippopolis to Sofia. Diplomats believe that Russia will not permit Alexander to return to Bulgaria, even if counter revolutionists troops are successful in his favor. Russia will rather, the diplomats argue, insist that the Bulgarian assembly shall choose a new ruler. The powers undoubtedly desire to localize the question, but the demand upon the Czar to allow the return of Alexander might result in making the whole matter an international affair.

## GLADSTONE SPEAKS.

*Will Take no Part in the Division on Parnell's Amendment.*

Gladstone addressed the Commons on Tuesday on Parnell's amendment. He accused the government of having taken an unusual course in going so far outside of the speech from the throne. He thought the government should have reserved the main lines of their measures until the issues themselves could be presented. He intimated that he would

TAKE NO PART

in the division on Parnell's amendment, because he depreciated any attempt to force a definite, premature expression of opinion on the policy which the government foreshadowed for their future guidance. He believed that the government policy was not a sober one, but was eminently complex and difficult. Gladstone described the policy of the government as an absolute inversion of the policy of the late government. Instead of giving Ireland self-government, the present government proposed that England should govern Ireland to a greater extent than it did at the present time. He only hoped that the critics who condemned that security would be equally vigilant concerning the security now proposed by the government; they evidenely intended to adopt a large scheme of land purchase. Was the tenant to be asked to be treated upon a basis of real rentable value of property, and the landlord on the basis of judicial rents, and was the state to make up the difference? He had been taunted with having become the leader of the Irish nationality, but he was delighted to be able to continue his efforts to make smooth the path of the people of Ireland and encourage them in the hope of a realization of their just rights.

## MARINE ITEMS.

Six divers are constantly at work on the Oregon. The daily average of cargo got out is twenty bales. It is probable that all the cargo worth saving will be out in a few weeks. Her main and mizzen masts are still visible above water.

Pieces of the Wm. H. Besse are strewn along the beach north of the Columbia. About half of her starboard side rests ten miles north of the river.

The Alki, which has been temporarily repaired by Mr. T. Harman, will sail tomorrow for San Francisco. Mr. Harman goes down in her.

The Nanaimo, now at Moodyville, is the first and only bark ever built in British Columbia. She was constructed at Nanaimo by Mr. Carpenter, and is a very staunch vessel, being substantially built of Douglas fir.

The bark Flora P. Stafford, tea laden-ed for Port Moody, was sighted in the straits last night. She will be towed to the inlet to-night by the Alexander.

### MILITARY PREPARATIONS.

The Curragh of Kildare, a great plain owned by the British crown, in the heart of Kildare county, and used for military purposes, is the scene of unusual activity at present. The place is being put in readiness to receive five additional regiments of cavalry. These fresh troops are to be used in assisting the work of eviction, which during the coming winter will be unusually great and the present force in Ireland will, unless much strengthened, prove totally inadequate to the work of protecting the interests of the landlords.

### CONTRACTS.

Mr. Wraight has secured the contract for the two-story brick building to be erected by the King Tye Co., on Cormorant street. The contract for Mr. P. Leech's cottage in James Bay has been secured by Mr. W. Northcott.

### TRADE SALE.

Spirit dealers and others should not forget Mr. Geo. Byrne's trade sale, in his auction rooms, corner of Langley and Fort streets, to-morrow (Thursday) at 11 a. m., for the trustees of the estate of R. C. Janion & Co. Remember the hour and place.

T. A. McKinnon, general manager of the South Eastern Railway, has been appointed to succeed Mr. Egan, with headquarters at Winnipeg. Mr. McKinnon's departure is greatly regretted here, as he was very popular and highly esteemed by all.

# The Daily Times.

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## SATISFACTORY RESULTS.

The Ottawa *Evening Journal* is pleased with the result of the shooting of the Canadian team at Shoeburyness, and asserts that it affords an illustration of the advantages resulting from careful instruction and training, and is evidence as to the usefulness of the instructional system of the country. Our active militia force consists of 1,987 cavalry, 1,440 field artillery, 2,342 garrison artillery, 243 engineers, and 36,914 infantry. The portions enrolled in cities are trained at their headquarters annually and paid according to rank, those in rural corps in camps of exercise lasting 12 days, with subsistence and pay while in camp. In addition to these drills and exercises military education and instruction are conveyed at the Royal Military College to cadets in courses lasting four years, and at schools of military instruction to officers and non-commissioned officers of the different arms, in practical courses of three months each, the cavalry at Quebec, the artillery at Quebec and Kingston, the infantry at Fredericton, St. John, Toronto and Winnipeg. These facilities will be supplemented ere long by another school for artillery at Victoria, B. C., and for infantry at London, Ontario. The permanent companies which form the basis of the schools consist of soldiers enlisted for three years' continuous service under competent officers and non-commissioned officers, each company, thus forming in addition to a model for purposes of instruction, a nucleus for a regiment when required with superior officers for the corps and trained non-commissioned officers for the new companies added. The system adopted is excellent and in accord with the circumstances of the country, it would be perfect of its kind if the rural corps could be trained every year.

## TRAINING OF OUR YOUTH.

Archdeacon FARRAR during an address delivered recently before a conference of moral workers in London, declared that the great dangers to cities and nations came almost entirely from the disorderly character of their youths. The speaker called attention to the fact that the riots which occurred a few months ago in London were largely participated in by lads between 15 and 20, the fathers and future citizens of England. He was struck with amazement at the fact that the state did nothing for that class of the community, "especially at a time when the "intervention of the state seemed absolutely necessary." The evil to which the eminent prelate invited attention is one of appalling dimensions. The late Lord SHAFTESBURY, who devoted his life to reformatory and philanthropic labors, asserted, as the result of his own observations and from information gathered from the police authorities of London and other large towns in England, that there was scarcely a single instance in which a career of crime was taken up except between the ages of 15 and 20. This is a fact which the experience and observation of every person of mature years and ordinary intelligence will attest. The jails and penitentiaries in the United States and Canada are crowded with graduates from those prolific schools of vice and crime—the streets of the larger cities. The number of these waifs floating upon the surface of the cesspools of the city's iniquity is constantly increasing, and the accessions to the ranks of the professional criminal classes are growing in proportion. The expenses of maintaining jails, etc., are increasing in like ratio. It looks as if the government began at the wrong end in its contest with crime. If the boys of the streets could be reached with wholesome influences, instructed in the essential rudiments of useful knowledge, and compelled to acquire some means of earning a livelihood, a long step would be taken toward the solution of this great problem of crime.

## QUITE PROBABLE.

The Hamilton *Times*, in discussing the probability of wheat and its product being shipped from this coast attacks the Toronto *Mail* for claiming "that it was not ridiculous for Sir JOHN MACDONALD to tell the British Columbians that some of the wheat of the Canadian Northwest would be shipped from British Columbia ports, to be carried to England via Cape Horn, because 'during the year just closed 237 grain vessels bound for England left San Francisco, and their freight earnings reached $4,123,091.'" Our Hamilton namesake then adds that the comparison "is not a fair one. The wheat shipped from San Francisco was grown in California, west of the Rocky mountains. Not a bushel of it was carried by rail over the mountains to the port of shipment. British Columbia is not now, and never will be, a wheat exporting country. The wheat would have to be hauled many hundreds of miles from the prairies of the Northwest, over the steep grades of the railway through the mountains, and it will be much cheaper to pull it eastward on a down grade or a level. When British Columbia begins to work up her iron, coal and wood into manufactured goods, there may be a considerable exchange of those goods for the grain and meat of the prairies on the other side of the mountains. But Sir JOHN was drawing a long bow when he told the Cape Horn story." It may enlighten this Hamilton pessimist when we inform him that the shipments of wheat already from Pacific coast ports are in excess of those of the Atlantic sea board and enable our eastern contemporary to come to the conclusion that if other portions of the American continent west of the Rocky mountain range can ship wheat to Europe and the Orient, so can Canada; and it is more than probable that the experiment will receive a practical test ere long, and thus will another hobgoblin of the pessimist wing of the Canadian Liberal press be found to be valueless, demonstrating that nothing reasonable is impossible where courage, enterprise and perseverence is necessary to carry any project to a successful issue.

The Montreal *Star*, in referring to the subject, states that "it is claimed that much of the Northwest wheat will be shipped *via* Vancouver during the winter months instead of coming east. The whole matter lies, of course, in the cost of freight. Of late years ocean freights have been at a low figure and ocean 'tramps,' as they are called, have been numerous. The harbor of San Francisco has been crowded with vessels awaiting freight, and these will, in like circumstances, make a strong bid for freight from other Pacific ports."

## RAILWAYS IN INDIA.

Some idea of the value and importance of the Indian railway system, with its connected steamer services, may be gathered from the fact that the capital sunk in these undertakings is estimated at £161,917,840. Of this large sum the Government have spent directly £82,255,391. The capital outlay of guaranteed companies stands at £71,032,838, and that of the "assisted" companies at £3,808,232. Native States—the principal in this respect being Mysore and Hyderabad—are responsible for an outlay of £4,821,379 on lines within their territories. When the construction of railways in India was first mooted there were some who warned the projectors that caste prejudices would prevent the natives from using them; but it is an astonishing fact that last year Indian railways carried no fewer than 80,864,779 passengers, who paid for their fares £5,538,126. In 1884 the number of passengers was 73,815,119, and their freight was valued at £5,070,754. The chief income of most railways, however, is derived from its goods traffic, and in this respect the Indian lines yield more than double the receipts obtained from passengers. No less than 18,925,385 tons of goods were carried, the receipts from which amounted to £11,915,375. Both the tonnage transported and the return show an increase over the figures of the previous year, which was credited with a goods traffic of 16,663,007 tons, and receipts therefrom amounting to £10,565,941.

AN IMPROVEMENT in the processes of making wood-pulp is mentioned in the *Paper World*. The process is not said to be entirely new, but consists of improvements recently made which will enable manufacturers to make a cheap pulp suitable for fine paper for which the ordinary pulp would not answer. This process differs from the usual one in that bisulphite of lime is used to reduce the wood to pulp. The means at present most employed are those of reduction by grinding and by the soda process. The difference between the latter and the bisulphite method is due to the chemicals employed; in in the former soda-ash and ash lime, and in the latter steam and bisulphite of lime. The chief advantages claimed for the new process, it is understood, are that fine papers capable of taking the highest finish can be made out of pine, poplar, and spruce wood. It is claimed that it will supersede rags almost entirely, and that it will prove specially adapted to making "linen" papers.

### U WANT

of course U want—Well, what don't U want?

*U* want to rent a house,
*U* want a situation,
*U* want a servant,
*U* want to sell something,
*U* want to buy a horse,
*U* want to find something lost,
*U* want to rent a room,
*U* want a book-keeper,
*U* want to know how to have your wants gratified and we'll tell you.

The DAILY TIMES WANT COLUMN is for that particular purpose, and will accomplish the result you desire.

## COMMERCIAL VALUE OF NOTORIETY.

**Rachel's Coarse Taste and Robust Savageness—Emile de Girardin.**

Rachel was a unique being. She was born and reared a vagabond gypsy. To the end of her days she retained the lowest and coarsest of tastes. It was the fact of her robust savageness that made her success. She was such a novelty in the hot-house climate of French society. But it was merely through her merits that she achieved eminence. No. And how, then? Listen.

This is the story. M. de Girardin's first wife was ambitious to shine in the literary world. She wrote a play of which the heroine was Judith. But no one could or would play it. After a time, however, Rachel, as yet unknown to fame, came along. Had it been written for her the part of Judith could not have suited her better. At once she took it up. Eager to make the play a success M. de Girardin began praising the wild actress most extravagantly in his paper. That was the making of her fame. Jules Ganin also helped to praise her in various papers, because Mme. de Girardin coaxed him to do so.

I suppose no man ever appreciated the value of notoriety as well as Emile de Girardin did. I well remember a striking instance of this. One night some enemy took a paint brush and daubed on the front of his house the words, "Girardin, the knave, lives here." Next morning one of the servants, seeing it, began to scrape it off. But Girardin rushed out and stopped him. "Let it be for a day or two," he said; it will set people to talking about me!" On another occasion, when a rival editor published an article bitterly attacking him, he purchased 1,000 copies of the paper and sent them to all the principal editors and public men throughout France. "Success has three sources," he said to me late in his career, "and they are these: First, notoriety; second, notoriety; and third, notoriety."—Paris Cor. Chicago Tribune.

**An English Editor's Lamentation.**

English printers are complaining that Englishmen possess no originality; that very few improvements are made; that the papers and books printed in England do not show the same progress made in the art of print as is made in foreign countries. An English editor cries out in despair: "Is there one great improvement in printing originally due to an English printer?" Then he tears his hair by referring to the well-known historical facts that it was a German who invented lithography; a Frenchman who invented a lithographing machine; a Yangee who invented the fast press; the first single-cylinder book machine was invented by a Frenchman; the first good perfecting press by a Frenchman; another Yankee named Gordon invented the treadle jobbing machine. Stereotyping was invented by a Frenchman, and newspaper stereotyping by an Italian.

All this is very discouraging to the English printers. The same editor bewails still more over typefounding: The old hand-mold was used for centuries until Didot, a Frenchman, and Bruce, an American invented the machine-mold. And worse than all that, English printing is going into France and Germany—to Germany for cheapness and to France for taste. The editor cries out: "If this continues where will Englishmen be?"—Philadelphia Record.

**True Love's Universal Language.**

Col. Henry Watterson says: "The 'Abbott' is The Kiss, the one kiss, the true kiss, the original kiss, as old as man and woman, untaught, undarned, the long, long kiss of youth and love. It is a sacrilege to call it the 'Abbot kiss.' Never true lovers yet but it was their kiss; it is love's universal language, as free as the air it sighs, as spontaneous as its throbbing heart-pulse. It is the kiss of the nightingale and the rose; of the moonlight and the midsummer; of dream and realization; of rhapsody and rest; of passion and poetry. What true poet yet who was not in his heart of hearts truest of lovers and sang not from its fullness the ecstasy of this kiss!—the kiss which one besought to 'grow to his lips;' the kiss of the 'soft lips' which another swore 'would tempt you to an eternity of kissing;' the kiss which Coriolanus thought as 'long as exile, sweet as revenge;' the kiss which Shelley sang as

"The soft and sweet eclipse
When soul meets soul on lover's lips."

**Improved Coal-Cutting Machinery.**

A Columbus concern is making twenty-seven coal-mining machines, four for the Hocking valley, three for Illinois, and the rest for west of the Mississippi. These machines can undercut 1,000 square feet of flooring in ten hours. English miners are also improving coal-cutting machinery. One has just been completed in West Yorkshire which will cut twelve yards per hour, while the work of a good miner is five yards in eight hours. The machinery consists of a metal disk, eighteen inches in diameter, operated by two beveled wheels moving from the vertical to the horizontal shaft; the machine will require the attention of two men and a boy in the mine, and will produce 200 tons a night, the coal being removed during the day.—Philadelphia Record.

**The Weariness of Wired Witticisms.**

To be contagious fun must be spontaneous. To sit down before your desk, sharpen your pencil, and draw up your tablet, with the intention of being funny and creating a laugh, is harder work than you would imagine. It is worse than trying to perpetrate a joke by telegraph. A wired witticism has to be clicked out in the Morse alphabet, and is apt to lose its pith in the process. It is not mirth-provoking. It loses its flavor by mechanical transmission. To finger it out on the wire is like handing around champagne in a warm tea cup.—"Amber" in Chicago Journal.

**How the Russians Keep Warm.**

The Russians have a great knack of making their winter pleasant. You feel nothing of the cold in those tightly-built houses, where all doors and windows are double, and where the rooms are kept warm by big stoves hidden in the walls. There is no damp in a Russian house, and the inmates may dress in-doors in the lightest garbs, which contrast oddly with the mass of furs and wraps which they don when going out. A Russian can afford to run no risk of exposure when he leaves the house for a walk or a drive. He covers his head and ears with a fur bonnet, his feet and legs with felt boots lined with wool or fur, which are drawn over the ordinary boots and trousers, and reach up to the knees; he next clothes himself in a top coat with a fur collar, lining and cuffs; he buries his hands in a pair of fingerless gloves of sealskin or bear-skin. Thus equipped, and with the collar of his coat raised all around so that it muffles him up to the eyes, the Russian exposes only his nose to the cold air; and he takes care frequently to give that organ a little rub to keep the circulation going. A stranger who is apt to forget the precaution would often get his nose frozen if it were not for the courtesy of the Russians, who will always warn him if they see his nose "whitening," and will, unbidden, help him to chafe it vigorously with snow. In Russian cities walking is just possible for men during the winter, but hardly so for ladies. The women of the lower order wear knee boots; those of the shop-keeping class seldom venture out at all; those of the aristocracy go out in sleighs. The sleighs are by no means pleasant vehicles for nervous people, for the Kalmuck coachmen drive them at such a terrific pace that they frequently capsize.—Foreign Letter.


FIRE! FIRE!

TESTIMONIAL.

VANCOUVER, 23rd June, 1886.

MR. G. ROBERTSON,
Vancouver.
Representing Gold'r & McCulloch,
Galt, Ont.

SIR,—We the undersigned having witnessed the terrible fire which wiped out of existence the young city of Vancouver, on the 13th inst. have, after the fire, examined the safes sold by you, some of which were put to the most severe test, having been surrounded by large quantities of lard and bacon, and we are pleased to testify to the remarkable manner in which every Safe sold by you preserved its contents, not only books and papers, but also thousands of dollars in paper money were taken out in perfect condition. We can, therefore, with the greatest confidence, recommend them as thoroughly fire proof:

L. A. Hamilton, for the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; M. A. MacLean, Mayor; John J. Blake Stipendiary Magistrate; Rich'd. Alexander, Justice of the Peace; John Boultbee, Police Magistrate, City of Vancouver; Thomas Dunn, Justice of the Peace; Isaac Johns, Col.; Edward E. Rand, Real Estate Broker; R. Balfour, Alderman; John Rankin, Real Estate Broker; Rither & Edson, Royal Hotel; pro. H. F. Keefer, Contractor, C. P. R.; J. W. McFarladd, Port Moody, to Vancouver and English Bay; F. C. Innes & Co., Real Estate Brokers; A. W. Ross, Real Estate Broker; Gravely & Spinks, Real Estate Brokers; R. C. Ferguson, Agt. B. C. P. Mills.

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200 ROOMS.
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An OTIS ELEVATOR has just been introduced, with a capacity for carrying ten tons weight, making the upper floors as convenient as those on the ground.
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THE RESTAURANT
In charge of CHARLES HELLMAN, is conducted in first class style and affords visitors every luxury known to the epicure. june7

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Mulmomah Block, opposite Post office,
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TREATS with the same remarkable success as of old, ALL CHRONIC, NERVOUS AND SPECIAL DISEASES. Correspondence solicited and prompt attention given thereto. Call, or write for pamphlet and list of questions. june7

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PORTLAND, - - - OREGON.
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CHOICE FAMILY
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FLOUR
Is the Best, Healthiest and
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For sale by all the leading Dealers.
USE NO OTHER!
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Manufacturers of Albany Patent, Snow Flake, Family Windsor, Bakers' and Mount Hood Superfine Flour.
For sale at wholesale and retail by all respectable grocers.
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ONCE TRIED ALWAYS USED.
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Has some handsome SHORT-HORNS to show and will welcome visitors.
—FOR SALE—
QUENTIN, a Red Roan and White Bull, high grade; calved 21st August, 1885.
About 500 lbs. wool.
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A BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL
FOR GIRLS.
$50,000 Endowment.
CHRISTMAS TERM begins Sept. 9, 1886.
The best instruction is given in English, German, French, Latin, Music, Drawing and Painting.
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For catalogue and particulars address the Principal,
MRS. LEMUEL H. WELLS.
July 15 D&W 2m Tacoma, W. T.

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TACOMA, W. T.
BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL
FOR BOYS AND YOUNG MEN.
The Right Rev. Bishop PADDOCK, D. D., Rector.
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july26 D&w6 PROF. J. TAIT, Principal.

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Comprising
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JOHN B. MENDES
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Musical Repairing Shop
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Mr. Mendes has made it a specialty for ten years of repairing Musical Instruments of every description. Steel Reeds for Accordeons and Concertinas a specialty. Work guaranteed. Orders promptly attended to.
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Send for circular.

W. BUCKETT
Truck & Drayman,
BEGS to inform patrons and public generally that he is still to be found on the OLD STAND, YATES STREET, and hopes, by strict attention to business, to receive a share of their patronage. My name will appear on all trucks and drays. All orders left at Baker and Sons, Yates Street, or the Fashion Stables, Fort Street, will receive prompt attention. Aug 3-1me

WM. PHILLIPS
SEALS DIES MONOGRAMS CARDS CRESTS JEWELRY &c.
ENGRAVER
COPPER PLATES & STEEL DIES & PLATES HOTEL CHECKS &c.
VICTORIA B. C.
Yates Street, above Douglas.

NEW CITY MAP.
For sale at the City Hall on application, price $2.50 each.
JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.
City Hall, Victoria, April 8, 1886.


## Land Applications.

### Notice.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 215 acres of land in the Osoyoos Division of Yale District, situated as follows:

Commencing at the southeast corner post of Thomas Ellis' land at head of Dog Lake; thence north along eastern line of said land, 25 chains to surveyed line; thence east to Indian Reserve 15 chains; thence south along Indian Reserve line 25 chains to point of commencement, containing 15 acres.

ALSO—Commencing from northwest corner of Thomas Ellis' land of Dog Lake thence 20 chains west to Okanagan river; thence about 40 chains north along river bank to Thomas Ellis' Land; thence 40 chains south to point of commencement, containing about 40 acres.

ALSO—Commencing from post at foot of rock on south side of Thomas Ellis' land on Dog lake; thence south 30 chains; thence west 20 chains; to Dog lake; thence north along lake shore 30 chains thence east 20 chains to place of commencement, containing 160 acres.

JOHN TRUTCH.
August 7th 1886 aug 7-1w 2mo

### Notice

I HEREBY give notice that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of unsurveyed land situate on the Kootenay River, and described as follows:

Commencing at a post marked A, situate on a flat west side Kootenay River and opposite mouth of Wild Horse Creek; thence north 40 chains to stake B; thence east 32.50 chains to stake C; thence following river 40 chains southerly to stake D; thence west 48 chains to point of commencement.

JNO. T. GALBRAITH.
July 29th, 1886. aug 6-1aw 2mo

### Notice.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase six hundred and forty acres of land, in Osoyoos Division of Yale District; situated as follows: Commencing at a post A 200 yards south of Sheep Creek; thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains to shore of Okanagan Lake; thence along the shore of Lake northerly 80 chains; thence east to part of commencement 80 chains, containing ten hundred acres.

Also—Commencing from post A, above seven mile Creek north 80 chains to corner post of Thos. Ellis land thence west 20 chains to Okanagan Lake; thence north 80 chains along Lake shore thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing two hundred and forty acres. G. CONSTABLE.
Penticton B.C., July 31 of 1886. aug2-1aw-2 mo

### Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land situate on Campbell River, Sayward District, described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the south side of said river marked by a square tree; thence true south 80 chains; thence true west 40 chains; thence true north to Campbell River 80 chains; and thence along said river 80 chains to the point of commencement.

M. KING.
Victoria, B.C., July 19, 1886. july14 2m law

### Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situate at Otter Cove, Sayward District, described as follows:

Commencing at a square post set at the N. E. corner; thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; and thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

A. R. JOHNSTON.
Nanaimo, B.C., July 27, 1886. july27 law 2m

### Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase three hundred and twenty acres more or less, situated in the Homalko river valley, Coast District British Columbia and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the right bank of the west slough of the Homalko river from which mouth west forty chains; thence north forty chains; thence east to the right bank of said slough; thence south along the right bank of the slough to the place of beginning.

S. R. SYKES.
July 12th, 1886. jy 12 law 2mo

### Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of Land, situate in Sayward District, 2½ miles north of Elk Bay, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake 20 chains from the beach; thence west 80 chains; thence north 60 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence south 60 chains to point of commencement.

JAMES KING.
Nanaimo, B. C., July 27, 1886. july27 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase four hundred and eighty acres more or less, situated in the Campbell River Valley, Sayward District, British Columbia, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake about ten chains west of the South Fork of Campbell River and about forty chains south of the main Campbell river; from which running west eighty chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east forty chains; thence north eighty chains to the place of beginning.

S. R. SYKES.
July 2 1886. july12 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase two hundred and sixty acres more or less situated in the Homalko river valley, Coast District, British Columbia, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the right bank of the West slough of the Homalko river it being the northeast corner of R. A Smith's claim from which running west forty chains, thence north sixty-eight chains, thence east to the right bank of the slough, thence south along the right bank of the slough to the place of beginning.

S. R. SYKES.
July 12th, 1886. jy12-law-2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase two hundred and forty acres more or less, situated in the Southgate river valley, Coast District British Columbia and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the left bank of the southgate river, from which running south forty chains; thence west sixty chains; thence north to the left bank of river; thence east along the left bank of said river to the place of beginning.

A. R. STOWE.
July 12th 1886 jy-12 law-2mo

## In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

WHEREAS, pursuant to a decree of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, made in the matter of the estate of William Turgoose in a cause Badler and Turgoose against Sandover, the creditors of the said William Turgoose were required to send in their claims to the Registrar of this Honorable Court on or before the 15th day of June last past; And whereas in the opinion of the Court it is desirable that further time should be given for a final adjudication upon claims against the said estate. Therefore pursuant to a further order in the matter of the said estate and in the said action, the creditors (who have not already filed their claims) of William Turgoose, late of South Saanich, who died on the 22nd day of January, 1885, are, on or before the 20th day of September, 1886 to send by post prepaid, to Charles Wilson, the Solicitor for the Plaintiffs, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claim, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Registrar of this Honourable Court, at his office, James Bay, Victoria, on Monday, the 27th day of September, 1886, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Dated the 20th day of August 1886.

JAMES CHARLES PRIOLEAU,
Deputy Registrar Court of British Columbia.
Aug 25-1mo


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# The Daily Times.

Victoria, Wednesday, Aug. 25, 1886.


## NEOLA.

On dark, green mosses, cool and shadowed deep,
Half hid in waves of lilies tall and red,
Neola lies, her soft eyes drowsed by sleep—
One bare, white rounded arm beneath her head.

A ravished bar of golden sunshine sleeps—
Athwart the yellow glory of her hair.
And all his soft entangled bed he steeps
In dyes of deeper color—rich and rare.

The tips of lashes kiss each warm, flushed cheek,
The bosom, full and white, moves soft and slow,
The wet red lips are parted as to speak—
While drowsy smiles enchanted come and go.

One loose hand holds a scarlet poppy bud,
Fit emblem of Neola's fatal power,
To lull the stir and actions of men's blood,
And lay them swooning at her feet one hour.

Intoxicated by her close embrace,
Forgetful of the world, of duty, care;
Till smiling cold she turns away her face,
And they awake to madness and despair.

—Lailah Hagedale in Times-Democrat.

### When Judge Black Quit Tobacco.

Judge Jeremiah S. Black used to say that after he came to Washington as attorney general and had to work very hard he took up the notion that tobacco was bad for him, so one morning he concluded to let the evil thing alone. He went down to his office feeling as if he had lost his best friend. It was his duty to go up to the supreme court and argue a case. He went and made the poorest argument of his life. He thought the judges were a set of mutton-heads. Then he went to see the president, and for the first time suspected he was an old hypocrite. He went back to his office, quarreled with his clerks, kicked the office boy, and swore for the first time in twenty years. On going home that afternoon he met a very pious clergyman, for whom he had a great respect, and who joined him, but before they had gone ten yards the judge felt that he hated him. He mentioned, however, that he had given up tobacco that day. The clergyman shook his head. "Ah, my dear friend," he said, "I am afraid it was at the devil's bidding. I tried it once. It almost cost me my religion. I scolded my children, told my wife she was a fool, got into a fight with the deacons in the church, and if I hadn't taken up smoking just in time I'd have been a miserable reprobate at this moment. Go and read your Bible, and if you can find a word in it from Genesis to Revelations against tobacco come and let me know. But if you want to save your soul go back to the noxious weed."

The judge says he took this advice, and from that moment he never thought the supreme court composed of idiots or Mr. Buchanan anything else but a statesman, had no more quarrels with his clerks, gave the office $1, and never used a cuss word from that day forth.—Washington Cor. Chicago News.

### The Tune of "John Brown."

The tune of "John Brown" was adapted from a camp-meeting tune, "Say, brothers, will you meet us?" This, in turn, was modeled from a song written for a fire company—"Say, bummers, will you meet us?" The words originated with members of the "Tiger Battalion," Massachusetts volunteer militia; and as these members subsequently enlisted in the Twelfth Massachusetts volunteer infantry (Webster regiment) we naturally claim words and music of the "John Brown Song." It first appeared in April, 1861, in a quartette of the "Tigers"—Jenkins, Edgerty, Purnetta and John Brown—and was simply a sort of joke on the name of the last mentioned. He was a Scotchman, and failed to see any witticism, which, of course, only made it more lasting. The Twelfth Massachusetts sang it in Boston harbor, at Fort Warren, were the first to sing it in New York city July, 1861, where it made a sensation, and continued chanting it until it had become so common property as to have lost all novelty. We claim the adaptation of the tune and these words:

"John Brown's body lies moldering in the grave,
His soul goes marching on,
Glory, Hallelujah."

Our regimental band (Maitland's, of Brockton, Mass.) was the first to arrange and play the tune. Two of the quartette are now living in Boston, Mass., John Brown was drowned in Virginia, June, 1863, and Jenkins' whereabouts are unknown. All were sergeants in the Twelfth Massachusetts volunteers.—"Twelfth Massachusetts" in Philadelphia Ledger.

### A Baby in the Mining Gorge.

Alder Gulch, in western Montana, is unquestionably the richest gulch ever discovered in any country, and since its finding it has yielded over $75,000,000, in gold, most of it being in the shape of dust and nuggets.

A very pretty story is told of the early days of Alder Gulch, when the first white child born in this part of the United States first saw the light of day in a little log cabin far up at the end of that wonderful gorge. The girl-wife had followed her lover from the states, and braving every hardship for his sake, had at last found him. When the baby came the gulch went on a spree. Gold in handfuls was thrown by the rough miners into the little one's cradle, until the poor little thing was almost smothered under the yellow nuggets. One rough old fellow wanted to hear it cry, and when the baby piped up the miner wept, saying he had not heard a sound like that for years. When it was sick business was almost suspended, and nobody could think of doing anything until the baby was better. That baby is a man now, and has taken to mining like his father.—Globe-Democrat.

### First Beer on American Soil.

William Penn and Jacobus were the two men who first brewed beer on American soil. Jacobus built his brewery in 1644, on what is now the corner of Pearl street and Old Slip, New York, where he also established a beer garden. He afterward became the first burgomaster, and his beer and justice gave equal satisfaction to the citizens of New Amsterdam. Penn's brewery was at Pennsburg, Bucks county, N. Y., where the excellence of his brew is considered by no means the least of his virtues. A hundred years later that doughty soldier, Gen. Israel Putnam, was running a brewery and tavern at Brooklyn, Conn.—Exchange.

### The Clever Duchess of Edinburgh.

"The duchess of Edinburgh is said to be more than ordinarily clever and cultivated," writes Adam Badeau in his papers on aristocracy in England. "From those admitted to her intimate society I have heard that she is better informed in politics than many women in Europe in any sphere. She reads the newspapers of all countries, including those of America; she is acquainted with the position of parties in the United States, knows the names and history of our public men, and can discuss the measures important here with greater facility than many of our own countrywomen who think themselves well informed. If this is so with regard to democratic America, of course it is so with reference to European states and courts."—Exchange.

## THE ART OF CAMEO-CUTTING.

### The First Specimens Brought from Paris—How the Picture Is Cut.

The art of cameo-cutting was introduced into the United States in 1850. It has made so progress. Finished cameos sell for less now than they did then. The only two manufacturers of cameos in the United States are in New York city, and they find very little work to do. The greater part of this work is in imitating antique gems or in matching cameos brought from Europe. There is probably no business requiring so great artistic skill and such delicate manipulation in which the pay of the workman is so poor. One of the manufacturers of this city said:

"Any man would be a fool to learn the trade with the hope of making money by it. I have to import all my workmen from Europe. I tried to teach two apprentices, but they found that the skill which they acquired would prove more valuable in the making of artificial teeth, and in the end they became dentists, and now one of them has a large practice."

Great numbers of cameos are made in Italy, but the finest come from Paris. The quartz blocks from which the cameos are cut are imported into this country in shapes ready for cutting. The kinds of quartz most commonly used are onyx, sardonyx, chalcedony, jasper, turquoise, and certain species of shells. They also can be cut on any stone or jewel except a diamond. A cameo differs from an intaglio in that it is executed in relief, while the latter is a sunk engraving. Cameos are best cut in minerals which present various bands of two or more distinct colors. The raised engraving is generally of one color, while the background is of a strongly contrasting color. The former is generally white and the latter dark. The cutter draws with a lead pencil on the white surface of the block the design which he intends to produce in cameo. He then follows the outlines with a diamond, and cuts away the white parts outside.

If the stone is small he cements it on the end of a stick; if large, he holds it in his hand, and proceeds to work upon it with fine drills. He sits at a table like a sewing-machine table, and by a treadle works a small lathe situated at his right. At his left is a frame filled with drills made of steel wire and of all varieties of shapes. The end of the drills are covered with diamond dust ground in olive oil. The dust is obtained by crushing uncut diamonds by blows of a hammer in a small steel mortar. The cutter has placed before him a picture, or model of the subject to be made. Everything then depends on the correctness of his eyes and his artistic instincts. The work is inexpressibly slow, but when completed it is marvelously perfect. Although very small the figures delineated are as complete in every detail as though they were ten feet high. A skilled workman will often make an elegant cutting, or even a portrait, without any model whatever. This making of cameo portraits is one of the most steady sources of revenue in the business. They are made of various sizes, and the likeness is very striking. The price varies from $50 to $300 each. The average time of cutting one is about 120 hours.—New York Mail and Express.

### Picking Up a Broken Submarine Cable.

The ends of broken submarine telegraph cables are picked up with an instrument called a grapnel iron. It is a stout bar of iron about two feet long, with five prongs or hooks about six inches long at one end and a swivel at the other. A rope long enough to lower this grapnel iron to the bottom of the ocean is attached to the swivel, and the iron is then dragged along on the bottom by a steamer, which steers directly across the place where the broken cable lies, and two or three miles, as near as may be, from the broken end. By means of two wires, which run down the rope and a simple device on the grapnel iron, an electric circuit is completed whenever the hook catches on anything and a bell on board ship begins to ring, and continues to do so until the strain on the hook is relieved. If the hook should catch on a rock the strain on a dynamometer attached to the drag-rope suddenly increases, and the strain when the cable is hooked gradually increases. A ship may have to steam across the line of the cable many times before a success is attained. When the cable is hooked the end is brought on board the ship and a dispatch sent to the office on shore to test that part of the cable. The end is then buoyed and sent adrift until the other end is secured. When this is done a new piece of cable is spliced in between the two ends and after through testing the whole is lowered overboard.—New York Sun.

### Besieged by Matrimonial Schemes.

The unmarried president has a harder time in the White House than people imagine. He is besieged by matrimonial schemes from all quarters. Letters on the subject of marriage are written to him, and I doubt not that Cleveland has received a number of bare-faced proposals during the past year. Arthur used to get such letters, and Jere Black once said that when he was in Buchanan's cabinet he used to receive proposals of marriage from ladies who wanted to present their claims for the president's hand through him. During the last administration a female crank called at the White House while President Arthur was in the west, and said she did not like to hear of the president paying so much attention to the Indians. She feared he might become infatuated with a squaw, and in order to save the nation from such a calamity as an Indian wife in the White House she would even sacrifice herself upon Arthur's matrimonial altar.—"Carp" in Cleveland Leader.

### Suicide as an "Unpardonable Sin."

The popular superstition of northern, Lutheran Europe accounts suicide an unpardonable sin because it destroys of itself the chance of repentance—viz., that the devil lies in wait, and the moment the noose is about the suicide's neck, jumps on his back and holds him down for good. It is then a struggle for a soul in which the devil has the advantage, for the dying sinner has himself thrown away his chance of a last cry for mercy that alone could avail. In that way common belief accounts for the success of self-murderers who have strangled themselves by merely lying down with throat upon a suspended string or a board, by resting the chin on a prayer-book, or in other like ways choking themselves to death. It is a good orthodox view of it according to the old, severe style of theology, but one can't help thinking it is rather a mean advantage for even the devil to take.—New York Mail and Express.

### Supplies for Railroads in India.

What class of railway sleepers are used in India and South America? Are any metal sleepers used in these countries? asks a writer of The London Mechanical World, and they answer: In India, where wood is expensive and for other reasons, rectangular blocks of cast iron have been used as sleepers; also light cast iron (hollow) chairs with tie rods. The chairs, etc., are, or were a few years ago, largely exported from Glasgow to India, and are suitable for light traffic over sandy soil on narrow gauges, more especially such as the Punjaub, Scinde, or other large railways which have three feet three inches gauge, the Indian government having adopted it in 1873, after having for twenty-two years had experience with a five-foot six-inch gauge. Similar cast-iron chairs are regularly exported to South America, viz., from Liverpool to Buenos Ayres, etc.—Boston Budget.


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| 15.13 | 49 | Harrison | 397 | 9.47 |
| 15.32 | 56 | Agassiz | 390 | 9.27 |
| 16.06 | 68 | Ruby Creek | 378 | 8.53 |
| 16.27 | 76 | Hope | 370 | 8.33 |
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| 17.15 | 90 Dep | Yale Arr | 356 | 7.45 |
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| 21.52 | 166 | Spence's Bridge | 280 | 3.16 |
| 22.32 | 178 | Spatsum | 268 | 2.26 |
| 22.52 | 183 | Ashcroft | 263 | 1.43 |
| 24.15 | 205 | Pennyn | 240 | 24.55 |
| 24.35 | 213 | Savona | 232 | 24.35 |
| 1.13 | 224 | Cherry Creek | 222 | 23.57 |
| 1.33 | 230 | Tranquille | 216 | 23.27 |
| 2.10 | 238 Arr. | Kamloops Dep | 208 | 23.10 |
| 2.10 | 238 Dep. | Kamloops Arr | 208 | 23.10 |
| 2.56 | 255 | Ducks | 191 | 22.06 |
| 4.30 | 271 | Shuswap | 174 | 21.24 |
| 4.26 | 287 | Notch Hill | 159 | 20.26 |
| 4.56 | 296 | Tappen Siding | 150 | 20.09 |
| 5.23 | 304 | Salmon Arm | 142 | 19.47 |
| 6.14 | 322 | Sicamous | 123 | 18.56 |
| 6.57 | 338 | Craigellachie | 107 | 18.10 |
| 7.45 | 350 | Griffin Lake | 96 | 17.46 |
| 8.25 | 358 | Eagle Pass | 88 | 16.50 |
| 9.00 | 367 Arr | Revelstoke Dep | 79 | 16.05 |
| 9.15 | 367 Dep | Revelstoke Arr | 79 | 15.50 |
| 10.10 | 378 | Twin Butte | 68 | 15.06 |
| 11.05 | 388 | Albert Canyon | 58 | 14.35 |
| 11.40 | 395 | Illecillewaet | 51 | 13.40 |
| 12.25 | 404 | Rose Peak Siding | 42 | 12.25 |
| 13.15 | 410 Arr | Glac'r Hot'l Dep | 35 | 11.57 |
| 13.25 | 410 Dep | Glac'r Hot'l Arr | 35 | 11.42 |
| 13.40 | 417 | Rogers Pass | 28 | 11.30 |
| 14.13 | 419 | Bear Creek | 27 | 10.57 |
| 14.56 | 429 | Six Mile Creek | 17 | 10.07 |
| 15.10 | 434 | Beaver | 12 | 9.45 |
| 16.00 | 446 Ar. | Donald Dep | 0 | 9.10 |
| 19.55 | | Field | | 6.20 |
| 3.00 | | Calgary | | 22.50 |
| 11.05 | | Medicine Hat | | 14.05 |
| 22.45 | Lv | Moosejaw Lv | | 2.05 |
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### TO CORRESPONDENTS.

While the TIMES is always prepared to give publicity to the views of correspondents on any question of interest to the public, provided facts are given, couched in unobjectionable language, we wish it to be understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the views expressed by the writers thereof.

Nor can we give room to duplicates of letters that have appeared in our contemporaries either in this city or elsewhere in the province. Correspondents, therefore, will save time and trouble in preparing such for THE TIMES, as they will be rejected.

Our space is valuable, and brevity, as far as possible, should be observed in writing on any topic, and on ONE SIDE of the sheet only.

## CITY AND PROVINCE.

—The *Columbian* is an advocate of lynch law.

—Money saved by having your plans made by FISHER, the ARCHITECT

—Government Guide Hapenny, who has travelled the Comox pass, says it is the lowest one to Alberni.

—Maple Syrup and Maple Sugar, direct from the groves at Freligsburg, at NEUFELDER & ROSS.

—The Hastings mill is running with two shifts—night and day. The lumber trade is booming for a season.

—Fidelity Hams and Bacon are the best in the market, at NEUFELDER & ROSS.

—Received by the Queen, a 500 lb. turtle, frogs, terrapins, oysters, etc., at the Poodle Dog; soup for all.

—Ice cream in quantities to suit, delivered in any part of the city by Young Bros., New England Bakery.

—*Columbian*: "As it is a portion of our duty to give the news, we may state that the telegraph wires are working today."

—The construction train, it was expected, would be in New Westminster today. It will be celebrated by a clam bake.

—Chinese along the line of the Cascade division of the N. P. R. have U. S. troops and detectives to guard them. The feeling must be intense.

—The finest-fitted and most fashionable establishment in the city is the Poodle Dog Saloon, next to the Poodle Dog restaurant on Yates street.

—The gross earnings of the Canadian Pacific for the week ending August 14 are $203,000, being an increase of $28,000 over the corresponding week of last year.

—T. J. Jones, L.D.S., has removed his dental rooms over the new Bank of British Columbia, corner of Government and Fort streets. Telephone Call No. 507.

—Pendray & Co.'s Toilet Soaps, Oatmeal, Cocoanut, Oil, Glycerine, and Perfecution Bouquet, are not to be surpassed anywhere

—John Morgan, the colored young man, arrested for stealing the axle nuts from Wm. Smith's cart, was discharged to-day. There was no evidence to implicate him in the larceny.

—Nelson Bennett, the contractor on the Cascade division of the N. P. R., has been arrested on the other side charged with illegally removing over 19,000 timber trees from government lands.

—A man named A. J. Aiken, detected in stealing a registered package from the United States mail on board the steamer Idaho at Seattle last week, was promptly arrested and confessed the crime.

—Correspondents—we might mention for the thousandth time—should write on one side of the paper only, and should attach their name, which will not be published, unless at the wish of the writer.

—The congregations of Langley Prairie, Maple Ridge and Mud Bay, in connection with the Church of Scotland, have made application to be received in connection with the Presbyterian Church of Canada.

—Pendrays & Co.'s Blue Mottled Soap deserves the high favor which it has gained, as it is composed of the purest material, and will not injure the finest fabrics in washing.

—John T. Little, of San Francisco, known to many pioneers of this city, where he resided during the sixties, has brought suit against parties in Seattle for $1000 commission for obtaining a $40,000 loan.

—The Japanese government will appoint a consul for British Columbia, with headquarters at Victoria. Mr. Gabriel, of the Bazar, who is familiar with the Japanese, their customs and laws, will probably receive the appointment.

—F. C. Innes & Co., Real Estate Brokers, and Financial Agents, Vancouver, B. C., attend promptly to all enquiries about the terminal city; *Free Reading Room* for use of strangers arriving in Vancouver.

—The Sproule case in Ottawa will be argued for the British Columbia government by the Attorney General in person, and for the prisoner by Mr. Theo. Davie, both brothers being now on their way to the capital, where the case will come up for a hearing on the 1st of September.

—A number of Vancouver's pioneer citizens received, on Saturday, a notice from Superintendent Abbott stating that their claims to lots taken up by them in the old Granville townsite have been disallowed by the company. As a matter of course, such claims were bound to be disallowed.

Hall & Quackenbush, Vancouver, B. C., have the most complete list of business and suburban properties for sale at the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Price and terms to suit all parties. Inquiries by mail promptly answered. References.

—The British Columbians, says the Toronto *Mail*, want a new coat of arms. The old one is objected to on the ground that a golden lion on a silver shield is unsuitable, and upon the further complaint that the lion is cramped for room. It would be a gross violation of provincial rights to oppose the extension of the lion's quarters.

—The Ottawa Evening *Journal* says the volume of mail matter between Ottawa and other points in the east and British Columbia, is increasing at an enormous rate since the completion of the C. P. R. The parcel post service is especially well patronized, parcels weighing as high as five pounds being allowed to go through. The former postal route via the Northern Pacific, has been abandoned. The American authorities only permitted of the despatch of parcels weighing not more than two pounds three ounces.


## LOOK OUT FOR DAMIANA.

So popular are the manufactures of Messrs. Curtis & Harvey's that unscrupulous persons have imitated their gunpowder *canisters* and *labels* used by the firm for upwards of 50 years. Recent cases in Germany of infringements of their rights in this repect were restrained under heavy penalities.

THE HUNTING SEASON.

Now is the time to secure your Shoes for deer hunting at the B. C. BOOT & SHOE STORE, H. MANSELL.


## THE LOAN BY-LAWS.

*The Water Works Extension and Street Improvement By-Laws Carried.*

The voting on Tuesday (yesterday) on the three loan by-laws—water works, $75,000; streets and bridges, $50,000; and pleasure grounds, $25,000—was conducted with considerable spirit by those for and against the proposed expenditures. Mr. W. K. Bull acted as returning officer. A polling booth was opened in each ward from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. and about six hundred voters (property owners only) of both sexes deposited their ballots. The result is most satisfactory to the friends of progress. The two most important by-laws—"water works" and "streets"—were approved of by a majority of the electors in each ward in the city. The Park by-law was defeated in every ward. There could not well have been—in a city so much divided in opinion—a more general endorsation of the views of the promoters of these two important improvements. The results by wards was as follows:

| JOHNSON STREET WARD. | FOR. | AGAINST. |
|---|---|---|
| Water Works by-law | 146 | 84 |
| Streets and bridges | 110 | 98 |
| Pleasure grounds | 84 | 117 |
| **YATES STREET WARD.** | **FOR.** | **AGAINST.** |
| Water Works | 82 | 52 |
| Streets and bridges | 63 | 58 |
| Pleasure grounds | 52 | 66 |
| **JAMES BAY WARD.** | **FOR.** | **AGAINST.** |
| Water Works | 139 | 75 |
| Streets and bridges | 108 | 90 |
| Pleasure grounds | 74 | 107 |
| **GRAND TOTAL.** | **FOR.** | **AGAINST.** |
| Water Works | 367 | 211 |
| Streets and bridges | 281 | 246 |
| Pleasure grounds | 210 | 290 |

There were 238 votes polled in Johnson street ward; 139 in Yatesstreet ward; and 220 in James Bay ward; total, 597. Spoiled ballots, 11.

Mr. Frank Barnard's pet scheme—Beacon Hill Park beautification—was effectually sat upon by a majority of 80. The vote of 210 in its favor, however, is the very best evidence that the scheme is looked upon favorably by a large majority of the property owners, and in another year or two, when a water pipe has been extended to Beacon Hill, affording the means for irrigation, the people will endorse a loan for this purpose by an unmistakeable majority. Victoria, by the vote of yesterday, has proclaimed in favor of progression.

### COL. POWELL.

A proposal has been set on foot in Ottawa to recognize in a suitable manner the eminent services Col. Powell, Adjutant-General, has rendered Canada during the quarter of a century he has held that office. The project is approved of by the Canadian *Militia Gazette*, in the following language: The great value of Col. Powell's unceasing exertions at headquarters at that critical juncture (during the Northwest troubles) are universally admitted, and we feel sure they have not been officially overlooked, but the delay in officially acknowledging them is at least unfortunate, and it is to be hoped that some action will be taken in the matter at no distant date. This is not the first time allusion has been made in these columns to the subject, and a fitting recognition now of the Adjutant-General's share in last year's success, to say nothing of the claims of some of the permanent officials, would be hailed with delight by every militiaman in the Dominion.

It is understood that Major-General Sir Frederick Middleton strongly favors the idea that the Adjutant-General receive some mark of esteem, not only for his arduous duties in connection with the late disturbance, but for long and valued services rendered to the Canadian militia.

### SMUGGLED CHINAMEN.

From information that cannot be doubted we learn that Chinese are constantly coming into the province, surreptitiously, thus evading the $50 tax imposed under the Restriction Act. On Thursday last, three Chinamen were landed by Indians from a canoe at Saanich mill, and immediately started for Victoria. The Indians came from San Juan, and after changing a twenty dollar bank bill they started back again. They told a story about the Chinamen being put off a vessel going to Burrard Inlet because they could not pay their passage and for charity's sake they had brought them home. It is quite apparent that the Indians of San Juan are making a business of landing Chinese on Vancouver Island. The preventive officer in Saanich, whose special duty it is to watch the coast for smugglers, will require to be on the alert. The very business which he was appointed to put a stop to is going on right under his nose.

### OUR DEFENCES.

The Ottawa *Free Press* of the 17th inst. states that Mr. Wm. E. Gower, who represents Messrs. Geo. Dibley & Son, of Montreal, was here on Saturday having an interview with Hon. Mackenzie Bowell in regard to supplying material for the proposed defences to be constructed on the Pacific coast. The firm referred to have only commenced recently doing business in Montreal.

An Austrian settler, writing from Texas to the C. P. R. land department, Winnipeg, says the crops there are a failure, the thermometer 120 in the shade, and almost everyone sickly. He announces his intention of removing to the Northwest. Lots of room this way and a climate, the superior of which no man can find. So come along, John, bring your family and friends with you.

### VANCOUVER FINANCES.

The city council of Vancouver will get $10,000 from the Bank of British Columbia at eight per cent. to defray the current expenses of the city. An additional sum of $50,000 is to be raised for the improvement of streets and laying of sidewalks on all the principal thoroughfares in the town. This amount will form the Street Debenture Fund. Advertisements will be inserted in Victoria, San Francisco, Winnipeg, Montreal and Toronto newspapers calling for tenders; the rate of interest to be paid is seven per cent.

### CUSTOMS SENSATION.

Montreal has another customs sensation anent the long pending case of Ayer & Co., from whom the government expect to recover $150,000. The seizure of goods and books was made by Mr. Jean Brosseau, of the customs department, who has made a deposition against one J. V. Walters, an insurance broker, charging him with an attempt at bribery to settle this case and give up certain books, offering $10,000 for the same. Brosseau, who says he is sure of his case, did not bite, as he will make more out of the seizure.

### FIRST COUNTY COURT.

Judge McCreight will to-day open the first county court ever held in Vancouver. There are seventeen cases to be disposed of. Vancouver will soon have all the essentials of civilization.

### DEATH OF PROF. STOWE.

Professor Calvin Ellis Stowe, husband of Harriet Beecher Stowe, died at Hartford, Conn., on the 22nd instant, aged 74.


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### WIDELY DIFFERENT.

The Vancouver *News* is possibly paid for booming Vancouver, and consequently anything that it says should be swallowed with a liberal sprinkling of salt. After what the *Colonist* told us yesterday morning, we opine the *News* must be getting "its work in when it says: "Sir George Stephen wired yesterday to have the four brick business blocks erected with all possible speed. The four brick blocks mentioned above are to be erected by Sir George and his associates, on Granville street. The plans are being prepared by Mr. Sorby. The structures are to be entirely of brick and stone, with handsome fronts and of elegant design. One of them is to be of four storeys. Each block will cover a frontage of 200 feet, and will be of a pattern and design superior to anything yet erected on the northern Pacific coast.

But after all, there may be more truth in the "bulling" of the *News* than in the "bearing" of the *Colonist*. It is certainly more reasonable to suppose that the men who have so much at stake in the C. P. R. will rather make an effort to build up their terminal town than to abandon it. Prompted by jealousy and influenced by the narrowest sod of sectionalism, the parish editor does frequently demonstrate how childish a man may be. Vancouver has come to stay, every Victorian should be proud of it. Commensurate with its growth, and the settlement of the province, or ahead of it, will Victoria grow and prosper; and the capital, political and commercial, will in ten or twenty years from the present time occupy the same position relatively to the other cities and towns of the province as it does to-day—that is, a long distance in advance of any of them. That is how we read the horoscope; but it may be changed for the better or worse as time advances by the enterprise or inactivity of the people. Our destiny is in our own hands.

### SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST.

For some time past the question of purity in baking powders has formed quite a feature of newspaper discussions, and eminent doctors of philosophy have given opinions as to the ingredients which compose many of the articles sold under that name. The investigations have narrowed down to the limit which awards the Royal Baking Powder the palm of purity, and several of the most distinguished scientists have testified to their conviction that no extraneous or deleterious matter enters into its composition. The Royal Baking Powder Company have achieved a world-wide reputation for the success which has marked their preparation of cream of tartar for baking purposes. It is indisputably shown that they have eliminated all elements of tartrate of lime, alum or other impurities, and present to the public a healthful and chemically pure article. Such widely known chemists as Henry Morton, E. G. Love, H. A. Mott, William McMurtrie and others have verified its superiority over other manufactures, and testified, through practical experience, to its excellence. It is well for families to observe the fact that it costs more to manufacture the Royal Baking Powder than any other, but it is, as shown by chemical analysis, the one "absolutely pure baking powder made.

### A DRAMATIC SEASON.

The old Victoria favorites, Joseph R. Grismer and Phœbe Davies, will open in Victoria on Monday evening for a season of four nights, during which will be presented "Monte Cristo," "The Wages of Sin," "A Hoop of Gold," and "The Field of Honor." The reputation of the Grismer-Davies Co. in Victoria is such that they are sure to have a profitable season. "Monte Cristo" is a strong play and drew an immense house when played by the same company here a year ago. "The Wages of Sin," although somewhat of a melodramatic nature is full of interest and never fails to please. "A Hoop of Gold" and the military drama of "The Field of Honor" have not been produced in Victoria before but are said to be strong plays, and the fact of their being produced by the Grismer-Davies Company is ample evidence of the fact. The season will doubtless be a success.

### THE MURDER AT LYTTON.

The three prisoners, Peter Derose, Jas. Connolly, and Jas. Wright, were brought before Judge Harrison, at Lytton, on Wednesday last charged with the murder of William Dillman on Hautier's ranch, on or about the 10th of July last. Supt. Royeraft conducted the prosecution. An Italian employed as trackwalker on the C. P. R. deposed to having seen the three prisoners coming from the direction where the murder had just been committed. Dr. Praeger testified to the finding of blood on the clothes of Peter Derose and James Wright and minutely described his mode of analysis. The body was exhumed and examined by Dr. Praeger who also gave evidence respecting the wounds on the head of the deceased. Judge Harrison remanded the prisoners until the 28th inst., when further evidence will be adduced.

### FRATERNAL GREETING.

Mr. Lewis Lewis, president of Temple Emanuel of this city, received a letter of gratitude from Mr. E. Bernstein, secretary of the First Hebrew Congregation, Oakland, Cal., in which that gentleman states that on behalf of the board of trustees of the First Hebrew Congregation there, he gratefully acknowledges the receipt of $182.50, in aid of the new synagogue to be erected in that city, collected from Mr. Lewis and the Hebrew congregation here, by the Rev. M. S. Levy, during his recent visit to Victoria. The sincere thanks of the Oakland congregation is extended to the members of the Hebrew body in this city for the kind and hospitable treatment extended to the Rev. Mr. Levy whilst in Victoria. Mr. Bernstein closes his letter by wishing the Victoria congregation future welcome and happiness.

### STREET WALKERS.

A gentleman returning home from his office about 11 o'clock one night recently, was accosted on Government street, near Bastion, by a street walker. The woman was white, well dressed and apparently belonged to the "better class" of prostitutes. The late crusade against houses of bad repute did not amount to much more than a flash in the pan. A few were fined—the majority were not molested. A few of the more brazen faced were driven out of the city, but unfortunately the number of houses was never so great, or the ulcer so widespread, as at the present moment.

### SPRATT'S OIL REFINERY.

Mr. Joseph Spratt returned from the mainland last night. He has not definitely decided whether or not to rebuild his guano factory at Coal Harbor; but should he rebuild it will be a smaller establishment than the last. The debris of the old building is being removed. Mr. Spratt's net loss was $34,000. All the valuable machinery is worthless.

### SUPREME COURT.

Wise vs. Tuttle, Irwin, and others—In consequence of court vacation the hearing of these cases before Sir Mathew Begbie and a special jury is postponed to the 29th proximo.

### STILL GETTING BETTER.

Mr. W. R. Higgins continues to improve, and the doctors are sanguine that he will ultimately recover. All danger, however, will not be over for nice days yet.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

The Hon. John Carling will visit the Northwest and British Columbia about the end of September.

Sir Hector Langevin was the only cabinet minister in Ottawa last week, Honorable Mr. White having gone to Cardwell.

Rev. J. C. Eccleston, D. D., arrived in the city last night.

Messrs. D. Davidson and J. M. Clute, of New Westminster, are in town.

Mr. John D. Campbell, the well-known Esquimalt constable, returned yesterday after an agreeable visit to Scotland. He brought with him a number of English larks.

D. H. McNeill, government guide, left for Comox, Valdez Island, &c., this morning with a party of intending settlers.

Mrs. O'Connell and family, London, Ont., have left that city for this province. They come via the G. T. R. and the N. P. R.

Colonel Lewis, ex-Mayor of London, Ont., will reach Victoria in a few days.

Dr. Whiteford, of the Winnipeg General Hospital, it is reported intends resigning his position and removing to this province.

Col. Philips and Col. Ravenhill, of the English army service, arrived from the east last night per the C. P. R.

Mr. G. B. Wright, of Ravelstoke, arrived from the mainland last night.

Mr. Arch. Barnard, Montreal, is at the Driard.

Mr. J. Kerr Fiskin, Toronto, is in the city.

At the Driard: S. Phipps, Winnipeg; Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Scott, Miss M. R. McKenzie, Portland; J. Matthews, England.

Dr. West, dentist, has gone to San Francisco, where he will practise his profession in future.

Mr. G. A. McKinnon, representing the old reliable and well known firm of Messrs. Northrup & Lyman, wholesale druggists, Toronto, left for the east this morning, after a successful business trip to this province.

Mr. E. B. Carmichael accompanied by Mrs. Carmichael and family, left for the east via the Sound this morning. They expect to be absent about a couple of months. Mr. Carmichael, during his trip will visit Chicago, Toronto, Montreal, New York and other eastern cities of trade and commerce.

Messrs. J. B. Lovell, W. W. Northcott, William Powell and A. McKeown, now of this city, but formerly of Belleville, Ont., waited upon Mr. Bowell, whom they have known for many years and spent a pleasant time with that gentleman at the Driard on Monday evening.

Mr. J. B. Daoust, M. P., and Dr. Norbert Falard, have left Montreal for a trip to British Columbia.

Dr. McSwain, after a brief but pleasant holiday on the mainland and east of the Cascades, returned home last night. His friends and patients are glad to see him again, looking as he does greatly improved in health.

Mr. John Grant left by the Amelia this morning, and will catch the Idaho at Nanaimo. He goes to Cassiar and will be absent several months.

Mr. Maurice E. Davis, of Messrs. Davis & Son, the celebrated cigar manufacturers of Montreal, left for the east via the Sound yesterday. Mr. Davis, while in this city, was indisposed for some time, but fully recovered his health. He expects to be back again in the course of a few weeks.

Dr. Milne returned yesterday from a visit to New Westminster.

Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co., have left on our table a copy of a beautiful chromo of the "Three Little Maids" of the Mikado. They are exceedingly attractive and pronounced to be perfection.

Mr. J. B. Ferguson is expected to return from the east to-night.

Mr. W. L. Thompson, of Summer, W. T., a large hop grower, is in the city endeavoring to procure Indians for the hop harvest.

At the Occidental: Domingo Brazill and F. Cordova, San Francisco.

At the Oriental: D A McDonald, Granite City; G Hayes, Hope; C N Westwood, J Westwood, Nanaimo; J A Finney, Vancouver; Byron Earnshaw, Nicola Valley.

Mr. D. Doig, of the Bank of B. N. A., returned to the city last night. He passed his holidays very pleasantly at Brighton House, on the Inlet.


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A CLEARANCE SALE AT COST
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YATES STREET.
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DRESSMAKER,
ANNOUNCES to the Ladies of Victoria, that she has just arrived from San Francisco, with all the Latest Styles.
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The Pacific Coast Steamship Co.'s Steamer
Queen of the Pacific,
CAPTAIN ALEXANDER,
Will sail from Victoria wharf, outer harbor, for San Francisco on
Saturday, August 28, at 1 p. m.
Intending Shippers are requested to make arrangements for Freight as early as possible, so that room may be reserved for their shipments.
Freight for shipment by her is required to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 o'clock p. m., on Friday, August 27.
For freight and passage apply to
WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents
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Plans and specifications can now be seen at my office. The right is reserved to reject any or all tenders.

E. H. FISHER, Architect.
aug22

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TO CLOSE CONSIGNMENTS
On Thursday, 26th August,
AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.
I HAVE been instructed by Messrs. HALL & GOEPEL, Agents for the
JANION ESTATE,
To sell by Auction at my salesrooms, Fort and Langley streets, a
QUANTITY OF MERCHANDISE,
CONSISTING OF
30 Cases of Ale, Quarts, Pig Brand.
25 Bbls Val Blatz Milwaukee Beer.
50 Cases Red Gin.
25 Cases Green Gin.
4 Puncheons Bourbon Whiskey.
265 Cast Iron Three Legged Pots.
4 Crates Plates, Cups and Saucers, Bowls, &c.
4 Cases Enamel Saucepans Nos 4 to 12, and Tinned Oval Pots 3 to 6 galls.
8 Kegs Musket Balls.
24 Boxes Chances Glass 13 x 9.
12 Bdls R G. Char Sheet Iron.
24 Dozen Saw Files.
24 Dozen Fry Pans Nos. 3 to 9.
5 Bales Cocoa Matting, 2 Bales Carpet.
1 Bale Fancy Matting.
1 Case Hair-Sieves No. 6 to 11.
5750 Fire Brick; 35 Dozen Riveted Buckets.
—ALSO—
An English POCKET BILLIARD TABLE, with nearly new Cloth, Cues, Rack and 20 Ivory Balls.
—AND—
A Chest of Carpenter's Tools.
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Aug 17-td

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AND
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FOR SALE,
Forty Young Horses,
Good Workers and in good condition.
ALSO, A NUMBER OF
Carts, Wagons and Harness.
Can be seen at Cowichan, near the wharf.
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City of New Westminster
IMPORTANT
Auction Sale
OF
CITY RESERVES
AND
GARDENS.
A PUBLIC AUCTION will take place at the Colonial hotel, in the City of New Westminster, on
Saturday, Sept. 4th, 1886,
At 8 o'clock in the evening, when the following lots will be submitted to public competition, in accordance with "Land Sale By-Law, 1884, and amendments thereto," viz:—
GOVERNMENT OFFICE GARDENS.
Block A
Lots No. 3 and 4,
" 13 to 20 inclusive.
VICTORIA GARDENS—Block B.
Lots No. 3 to 6 inclusive.
Lots No. 8 to 20 inclusive
" 30, 32 and 36.
ST. PATRICK'S SQUARE—Block D.
Lots No. 4 to 8 inclusive.
" 10 to 36 "
ALICE GARDENS—Block E.
Lots No. 6, 8, 9 and 10.
CLINTON PLACE RESERVE—Block F
Lots No. 1 to 5 inclusive.
Lots No. 8 to 21 inclusive.
" 23 to 25, "
ST. GEORGE'S SQUARE—Block H.
Lots No. 12 to 20 inclusive.
Lots 29 to 36 inclusive
ST. ANDREW'S SQUARE Block K.
Lots No. 7 and 8.
" 16 to 19 inclusive.
" 21 to 28 inclusive.
" 31 to 40 inclusive
The lots are mostly 66 feet by 132 feet.
TERMS 33⅓ per cent. on the fall of the hammer; 33⅓ per cent. in the three months; and the balance of the purchase money in six months from date of sale.
By Order.
A. J. ALPORT, C.M.C.
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
New Westminster, August 19, 1886. aug 17-td

Canadian Pacific R.R.
Fresh Water Terminus.
CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.
IMPORTANT
Auction Sale
—OF—
Merchants Square.
A PUBLIC AUCTION WILL TAKE PLACE at the COLONIAL HOTEL, IN THE CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER,
On Tuesday, Sept. 7, 1886,
At 8 o'clock in the Evening,
When the following Lots will be submitted to Public Auction, in accordance with "Land Sale Bylaw, 1884," and amendments thereto, viz.:
Merchants Square, Block G,
Lots Nos. 1 to 12, inclusive.
TERMS—33⅓ per cent. on the fall of the hammer; 33⅓ per cent. in three months, and the balance of the purchase money at six months from date of sale.
P. S.—Attention is called to the fact that the above property is near to the proposed Railway Station.
By Order. A. J. ALPORT, C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office,
New Westminster, 20th Aug., 1886.
Aug 22-td

Dominion Government
SAVINGS BANK.
DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO PRESENT their PASS BOOKS at the office on Government street for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th June, 1886.
JOHN GRAHAM,
Assistant Receiver-General.
Victoria, Aug. 7, 1886. aug7 1m

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Mr. Charles Doering
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